

MARIAN GOODMAN GALLERY

ADRIÁN VILLAR ROJAS

Born: Rosario, Argentina, 1980

AWARDS

- 2022 Konnex Prize: merit Diploma- Installation: 2022, Ciudad Cultural Konex, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2020 Nominee for Hugo Boss Prize, Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, New York
- 2015 *Prix Canson*, Fonds Canson pour l'Art et le papier, Paris, France
Sharjah Biennial Prize, Sharjah Art Foundation, Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
- 2014 *La Capital Prize*, La Capital newspaper, Rosario, Argentina
- 2013 *Zurich Art Prize*, Museum Haus Konstruktiv, Zurich, Switzerland
- 2012 *Konex Prize: Merit Diploma-Sculpture and Object: 2007-2011*, Ciudad Cultural Konex, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2011 *The 9th Benesse Prize*, Benesse Holdings Inc. Naoshima, Japan
SAM Art Projects, Artist Residency, Paris, France
- 2010 *Raul Urtasun - Frances Harley Scholarship*, Banff Centre, Alberta, Canada
La Residencia, Bogotá, Colombia
- 2009 *Panorama's Residency*, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- 2007 *ArteBA- Petrobras Prize*, ArteBA 16 Contemporary Art Fair, Buenos Aires, Argentina
El Basilisco, Artist Residency, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2006 *Nuevo Banco de Santa Fe Scholarship for Young Artists*, Rosario, Argentina
- 2005 *First Prize Bienal Nacional de Arte de Bahía Blanca*, Contemporary Art Museum, Bahía Blanca, Argentina
Visual Arts Workshop, Centro Cultural Ricardo Rojas, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2003 *First Prize Currículum Cero 03*, Ruth Benzacar Art Gallery, Buenos Aires, Argentina

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SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 *Adrián Villar Rojas: The Language of the Enemy*, Art Sonje Center, Seoul, South Korea
- 2022 *Adrián Villar Rojas: The End of Imagination*, Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
Adrián Villar Rojas: El fin de la imaginación, The Bass Museum of Art, Miami, Florida
- 2020 *Adrián Villar Rojas: La fin de l'imagination*, Galerie Marian Goodman, Paris
- 2019 *Poems for Earthlings*, Oude Kerk, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Sometimes you wonder, in an interconnected universe, who is dreaming who?, Tank Shanghai, China
- 2018 *From the series Today We Reboot the Planet*, Art Gallery of Ontario, Ontario, Canada
- 2017 *The Theater of Disappearance*, The Geffen Contemporary at MOCA, Los Angeles, California
The Theater of Disappearance, Roof Garden Commission, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, New York
The Theater of Disappearance, Kunsthaus Bregenz, Bregenz, Austria
The Theater of Disappearance, NEON Foundation, National Observatory of Athens, Hill of the Nymphs, Athens, Greece
From the series The Theater of Disappearance, Marian Goodman Gallery, London
- 2015 *Two Suns*, Marian Goodman Gallery, New York
Fantasma, Moderna Museet, Stockholm, Sweden
Rinascimento, Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo, Turin, Italy
- 2014 *Lo que el fuego me trajo: a Film by Adrian Villar Rojas*, Galerie Marian Goodman, Paris
En Casa, a collaboration with Enrique Radigales, Casa Encendida, Madrid, Spain
The Evolution of God, The High Line at the Rail Yards, New York, New York
Los teatros de Saturno (The Theaters of Saturn), Kurimanzutto, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2013 *The Work of the Ocean*, Foundation de 11 Lijnen, Oudenburg, Brussels, Belgium
Today We Reboot The Planet, Serpentine Gallery, London, England, United Kingdom
Films Before Revolution, Museum Haus Konstruktiv, Zurich, Switzerland
- 2012 *Before My Birth*, Arts Brookfield with The New Museum Triennial: *The Ungovernables*, World Financial Center Plaza, New York, New York
- 2011 *Ahora estaré con mi hijo, el asesino de tu herencia* (Now I will be with my son, the murderer of your heritage), ILLUMInations, The 54th International Art Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy
Poems For Earthlings, SAM ART Projects, Musée du Louvre, Paris, France
La Moral de los Inmortales (The Immortals Morality), Luisa Strina Gallery, São Paulo, Brazil

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- 2010 *My Dead Grandfather*, Akademie der Künste, Berlin, Germany
Un Beso Infinito, Casa Riegner Gallery, Bogota, Columbia
- 2008 *Lo que el fuego me trajo* (What Fire Has Brought Me), Ruth Benzacar Gallery, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2007 *15,000 años nuevos* (15,000 New Years), Belleza y Felicidad, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Diario íntimo 3D, Centro Cultural Borges, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2006 *Estas son las probabilidades de que te pase algo* (These are the Probabilities that Something Will Happen to You), El Poste Gallery, Ricardo Rojas Cultural Center, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2005 *Un mar (A sea)*, Alianza Francesa de Buenos Aires & Ruth Benzacar Art Gallery, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2004 *Si a vos te pasa algo yo me mato* (If Anything Happens to You I'll Kill Myself), with Mariana Telleria, Subsecretaría de Cultura de la Universidad Nacional de Rosario, Rosario, Argentina
Incendio (Fire), Ruth Benzacar Art Gallery, Buenos Aires, Argentina

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 *Castling A Glance: Dancing With Smithson*, Curated by Lisa Le Feuvre, Marian Goodman Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Adrián Villar Rojas - The End of Imagination, Bogotá Biennial 2025, Palacio de San Francisco, Bogotá, Colombia
Magical Realism: Imagining Natural Dis/order, Wiels, Brussels, Belgium
Supernova 1572, Yehudi Hollander-Pappi, São Paulo, Brazil
Machine Love: Video Game, AI and Contemporary Art, Mori Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan
A Time Between Ashes and Roses, Aichi Triennale, Seto, Japan
- 2024 *DANCING WITH ALL: The Ecology of Empathy*, 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan
Arte Povera, Bourse de Commerce, Pinault Collection, Paris, France
Forms of the Shadow, Secession Building, Vienna, Austria
Under the Azure, Art Explora, Marseille, France
RENDEZ-VOUS N°1, Galerie Marian Goodman, Paris, France
Stories Written – Zurich Art Prize Winners 2007–2023, Museum Haus Konstruktiv, Zurich, Switzerland
Your Patience is Appreciated, Marian Goodman Gallery, New York
Songs for the Changing Seasons, Klima Biennale Vienna, Nordbahnhof Museum, Vienna, Austria
SUMMER SHOW, Fondation Beyeler, Riehen, Switzerland

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- 2023 *ARGENTINA, WHAT THE NIGHT TELLS THE DAY*, PAC Padiglione d'Arte Contemporanea, Milan, Italy
New Directions May Emerge, Helsinki Biennial, Helsinki, Finland
Picasso: Unlimited, Las Casa Encendida, Madrid, Spain
- 2022 *Checkpoint. Border views from Korea*, Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg, Germany
Mariana, Adrián el óleo (with Mariana Telleria), Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Rosario, Argentina
The Dream of Ulysses, Villa Carmignac, Ile de Porquerolles, France
Simbiología, Centro Cultural Kirchner, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Reunión, Ruth Benzacar Galería de Arte, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Siembra, kurimanzutto, Mexico City
- 2021 *Portals*, Former Public Tobacco Factory - Hellenic Parliament Library and Printing House) & NEON, Athens, Greece
Anne Imhof. Natures Mortes, Palais de Tokyo, Paris, France
- 2020 Dhaka Art Summit, Dhaka, Bangladesh
Lahore Biennale 02: Between the Sun and the Moon, Lahore, Pakistan
Ancient History of the Distant Future, Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
La Collezione Cerruti, Castello di Rivoli, Turin, Italy
Potential Worlds 2: Eco-Fictions, Migros Museum of Contemporary Art, Zurich, Switzerland
Minds Rising Spirits Tuning, 13th Gwangju Biennale, Gwangju, South Korea
- 2019 *DMZ*, Culture Station Seoul 284, Seoul, South Korea.
No habrá nunca una puerta. Estás adentro: Obras de la Coleção Teixeira de Freitas, Santander Fundación, Madrid, Spain.
- 2018 *Summer Selections*, Marian Goodman Gallery, New York
Au diapason du monde, Fondation Louis Vuitton, Paris, France
Into Nature Art Expedition, Drenthe, The Netherlands
Imagined Borders, 12th Gwangju Biennale, Gwangju, South Korea
Everything Was Forever Until It Was No More, Rīga International Biennale (RIBOCA I), Rīga, Latvia
Death is Irrelevant, Hudson Valley MOCA, New York, New York
Emerald City, K11 Art Foundation, Hong Kong, China
- 2017 *Like A Moth To A Flame*, Officine Grandi Riparazioni and Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo, both Turin, Italy
Pompei@Madre. Materia Archeologica, Museo d'Arte Contemporanea Donnaregina, Naples, Italy
From the Series *The Theater of Disappearance*, Jerusalem Live, The Palestinian Museum, Birzeit, Palestine
From the Series *Return the World*, Unfinished Conversations: New Work from the Collection, The Museum of Modern Art, New York, New York

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- Two Suns II*, Unpacking: The Marciano Collection, The Marciano Art Foundation, Los Angeles, California
Untitled (From the Series *Rinascimento*), The Ungestalt, Kunsthalle Basel, Basel, Switzerland
Song During the War, Mondialité, Boghossian Foundation, Villa Empain, Brussels, Belgium
Monuments, Anti-Monuments and New Public Sculpture, Museo de Arte de Zapopan, Zapopan, Mexico
- 2017 (ct.) *Unfinished Conversations: New Work from the Collection*, The Museum of Modern Art, New York, New York
Do We Dream Under the Same Sky, AROs Triennial, Aarhus, Denmark
Monumentos, anti-monumentos y nueva escultura pública, Museo de Arte Zapopan, Guadalajara, México
- 2016 *Unknown Soldier*, The 6th Marrakech Biennale, Marrakech, Morocco
From the series *Brick Farm*, 5th Anyang Public Art Project, Anyang, South Korea
From the series *The Most Beautiful of All Mothers*, ANIMALITY, Marian Goodman Gallery, London
Miracle Marathon, Serpentine Sackler Gallery, London, United Kingdom
Los teatros de Saturno I, from the series *Fantasma* (Ghost), Towards A Larger World, Moderna Museet Malmö, Malmö, Switzerland
Frozen World of the Familiar Stranger, KADIST, San Francisco, California
- 2015 *The Most Beautiful of All Mothers*, The 14th Istanbul Biennial, Istanbul, Turkey
Motherland, Storylines: Contemporary Art at the Guggenheim, The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, New York
From the series *Brick Farm*, Twelfth Havana Biennial, Havana, Cuba
Planetarium, Sharjah Biennial 12: the past, the present, the possible, Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
Untitled I, from the series *Today We Reboot the Planet*, Une Histoire. Art, architecture et design. Des années 1980 à nos jours, Centre Pompidou, Paris, France
United States of Latin America, Guggenheim, MOCAD Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, Michigan
- 2014 From the series *Return the World*, A Thousand Doors, The Gennadius Library of the American School of Classical Studies, Athens, Greece
Where the Slaves Live, Foundation Louis Vuitton (LVMH), Paris, France
El momento más hermoso de la guerra (The Most Beautiful Moment of War), The Real DMZ Project, Artsonje Center and other locations, Seoul, South Korea
From the series *Brick Farm*, Rockaway!, Fort Tilden and Rockaway Beach, New York
- 2013 *Lo que el fuego me trajo* (What Fire Brought to Me), *The Insides are on the Outside*, Casa de Vidro and SESC Pompeia, Sao Paulo, Brazil
From the series *The Work of the Ocean*, 5th Moscow Biennale of Contemporary Art, Moscow, Russia
La Inocencia de los animales (The Innocence of Animals), EXPO 1, MoMA PS1, New York, New York

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- 2012 *The Tiger and The Family House*, IX Shanghai Biennale, Shanghai, China
Una persona me amó (A Person Loved Me), The New Museum Triennial: *The Ungovernables*, New Museum, New York, New York
Return the World, dOCUMENTA(13), Kassel, Germany; Kabul, Afghanistan
- 2011 *La tecnología del silencio* (The Technology of Silence), *Untitled* (12th Istanbul Biennial), Istanbul, Turkey
- 2011 (ct.) *Songs During the war*, Ars Apocalipsis – Kunst und Kollaps, Kunstverein Kreis Gütersloh e.V., Gütersloh, Germany
- 2010 *Las mariposas eternas* (The Eternal Butterflies), Panamericana, Kurimanzutto Gallery, Mexico City, Mexico
Song During the War, Map Marathon 2010, Serpentine Gallery, London, UK
My Dead Grandfather, The Return of the Landscape, Akademie der Kunst, Berlin, Germany
Quiero un mundo abstracto (I Want An Abstract World), Zona MACO Project Room, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2009 *El momento más hermoso de la guerra no sabe distinguir el amor de cualquier sentimiento* (The Most Beautiful Moment of War Cannot Distinguish Love From Any Other Feeling), X Bienal de Cuenca, Cuenca, Ecuador
Mi abuelo muerto (My Dead Grandfather), Moby Dick, CCA Wattis Institute for Contemporary Arts, San Francisco, California
Nunca esqueceré Brasil (I Will Never Forget Brazil), Mamõyguara Opá Mamõ Pupé, Panorama das Artes Brasileiras, Museu de Arte Moderna de São Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil
Mi familia muerta (My Dead Family), II Bienal del Fin del Mundo, Ushuaia, Argentina
Diario Íntimo 3D (Intimate Diary 3D), The Poly/Graphic San Juan Triennial Second Edition, Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña, San Juan, Puerto Rico
- 2008 *Nuevas incorporaciones*, MACRO – Juan B. Castagnino Fine Arts Museum, Rosario, Argentina
- 2007 *80 millones de cosas me hacen mal* (80 Million Things Hurt Me), Open Studio, Basilisco Residency, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Pedazos de las personas que amamos (Pieces of The People We Love), Arteba–Petrobras de Artes Visuales Cuarta Edición (Visual Arts Arteba-Petrobras Fourth Edition), Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2006 *Me Sangra la Nariz+Paisajismo+Tareas+Año 15.038* (My Nose Bleeds+Landscape+Tasks+Year 15.038), Amores posibles: 13 rosarinos/7 ensayos (Impossible Loves: 13 People from Rosaio/7 Essays), Zavaleta Lab Gallery, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2005 *El viento mueve a las cosas* (The Wind Moves Things), LIX Salón Nacional de

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Rosario (LXI National Salon in Rosario), Museo Municipal de Bellas Artes Juan B. Castagnino, Rosario, Argentina

- 2004 *La serie de las casas de amantes celosos* (The House of The Jealous Lovers Series), LVIII Salón Nacional de Rosario (LVIII National Salon in Rosario), Juan B. Castagnino Museo de Bellas Artes, Rosario, Argentina
- 2004 (ct.) *Besos sin boca* (Kisses Without Mouth), LVII Salón Nacional de Rosario (LVII National Salon in Rosario), Museo Municipal de Bellas Artes Juan B. Castagnino, Rosario, Argentina
- 2003 Currículum Cero 03, Ruth Benzacar Art Gallery, Buenos Aires, Argentina

SELECTED FILM FESTIVALS

- 2019 11th DMZ International Documentary Film Festival. Goyang City & Paju City, South Korea. Screening of the film *The Most Beautiful Moment of War*, 2017, 55 min. 23 sec.
- 2018 Prospectif cinéma, Centre Pompidou, Paris, France. Screening of the film *A War on Earth*, 2015 together with Feng Dong "The worldly Cave" by Zhou Tao.
NEIGHBORING SCENES, New Latin American Cinema, Film Society of Lincoln Center, New York, New York. Screening of the film *The Theater of Disappearance*, 2017, trilogy, 1h58'37"
- 2017 PANORAMA DOCUMENTAL 39º Festival Internacional del Nuevo Cine Latinoamericano en La Habana, La Habana, Cuba. Screening of the film *The Theater of Disappearance*, 2017, trilogy, 1h58'37"
32º Festival Internacional de Cine de Mar del Plata, Mar del Plata, Argentina. Latin American Competition - Features and short films, November. Screening of the films *The Theater of Disappearance*, 2017, trilogy, 1h58'37"
67 Internationale Filmfestspiele Berlin, Berlin, Germany. Screening of the film *The Theater of Disappearance*, 2017, trilogy, 1h58'37"
- 2013 66th Edition of the Festival del Film Locarno, Locarno, Switzerland. Screening of the film *Lo que el fuego me trajo*, 2013, 32 min.
BAM Rose Cinemas, at Peter Jay Sharp Building, New York, New York. Screening of the film *Lo que el fuego me trajo*, 2013, 32 min.